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THIS WEEK

WAITSBURG



FFA

Waitsburg's FFA Chapter attended the State Convention, where they received several awards and Mikala DeRuwe was a top-10 finalist for state officer.

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DAYTON



LAND SWAP

Columbia County land owners are steamed over a proposed land deal between DNR and BPA for 640 acres in north county.

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SPORTS



TRACK

The WP Boys' track team won the District 9 team championship in Walla Walla on May 13.

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A Sesquicentennial Success



Photo Courtesy of Lisa Naylor

How many kids do you see? (Look close!) A half-dozen kids made memories that won't soon be forgotten as they took a dip in the mud pit prior to the return of Saturday's ATV Poker Run participants. The photographer who submitted this photo thought "man emerges from the mud" would be a fitting caption.

WAITSBURG'S CELEBRATION DAYS WAS FUN FOR ALL

By Dena Wood
THE TIMES

WAITSBURG—Waitsburg Celebration Days kicked into gear with a well-attended parade on Saturday morning, and partied on until The FrogHollow Band introduced their new lead singer just before midnight at the Burgers, Band & Brews event at the Waitsburg Fairgrounds. The fun-filled day offered enjoyment for everyone – art lovers, beer guzzlers and mud slingers alike.

This year's patriotic parade boasted an impressive 68 entries. Fifteen of those were from Shriners clubs from the Columbia Basin, Spokane area and Blue Mountain re-

CELEBRATION- PAGE 6

County Considers Port Development

BLUE MOUNTAIN STATION'S FUTURE TIED TO AGREEMENT

By Dian Ver Valen | THE TIMES

DAYTON – Port of Columbia Manager Jennie Dickinson is quite proud of the document she shared with The Times last week – the Blue Mountain Station Development Agreement. She and planning consultant Bill Stalzer collaborated at length to produce this "road map" for the Port's continued commercial development on Artisan Way.

"This document explains in detail how everything we have planned at Blue Mountain Station fits within the county's current comprehensive development plan and zoning restrictions," Dickinson said.

In other words, if the Columbia County Commissioners sign this agreement, they will be allowing the plan to stand for 20 years, regardless of how the county's development plan as a whole evolves. "We don't want something big to change in the county plan while we're in the middle of working on this project," Dickinson explained.

The commissioners are reviewing the plan now; a public hearing on the develop-



Photo by Dian Ver Valen

Workers with Walla Walla Electric install solar panels atop Blue Mountain Station earlier this month. The Port of Columbia, owner of this artisan food center just west of Dayton on Highway 12, is working with Columbia County Commissioners on a development plan that will ensure the future of the building and surrounding property.

ment agreement is planned for 1:15 p.m. on June 3, during the commissioners' regular board meeting. A copy of the agreement for public review should be available through the commissioners' office, Dickinson said.

The port owns the Blue Mountain Station, where an Artisan Food Center is currently located, and plans have been laid for several more food-processing and retail-sales buildings.

Blue Mountain Station's proposed development agreement covers everything from project phase maps that work with the existing infrastructure to an explanation of the port's planning principles (to focus on the economy, sustainability, community, and more). Various chapters and appendices address signage, parking, street layout, performance standards (such as lighting, buffers, delivery hours, traffic movement, the water and sewer service plans, and more).

Mule Mania & Dayton Days This Weekend

Traditional parade, family activities happening in town, at fairgrounds

By Dian Ver Valen | THE TIMES

DAYTON – Memorial Day weekend will feature a buzz of activity this year the likes of which haven't been seen since the end of pari-mutuel horse racing several years ago. As the historic Dayton Days celebration has dwindled to a festive, but simple, downtown parade, event organizers have hatched a plan to rekindle the weekend excitement and provide a new opportunity for a blossoming event, Mule Mania.

Mule Mania

Beginning this year, Mule Mania will fill the Columbia County Fairgrounds with families, food and fun from May 22-24. Mule

Mania first came to Dayton in July 2011, and was held in mid-July for four years.

Admission is free to all comers. Activities include mule and donkey competitions, chuck wagon cook-offs and feeds, a beer and wine garden, live entertainment, Western vendors, cowboy church and more.

A new treat in store for Mule Mania visitors this year will be the Buffalo Soldiers – two reenactment groups representing the 10th Cavalry and the 25th Infantry, factions which participated in the Indian Wars of 1855-1858.

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Two tents for the reenactors will be pitched, "just like 150 years ago," said Jim Cooper, of Columbia Rural Electric Association. Guests can stop by to see the reenactors and ask lots of questions, Cooper said.

And the troops will lead the parade – Mule Mania participants will join with community members for the annual Dayton Days parade through Main Street.

Dayton Days Tradition

In addition to activities all weekend at the Columbia County Fairgrounds, traditional Dayton Days goings-on will take place in town on Saturday, May 23. Beginning with the long-running Dayton Days Parade Saturday morning on East Main Street;

DAYTON EVENTS- PAGE 4

Candidate Filing Closes; Some Positions Still Open

DAYTON – Numerous non-partisan offices opened for filing last week in Columbia and Walla Walla Counties. Filing closed Friday.

Positions included those in the City of Dayton, Dayton and Waitsburg School Districts, Columbia County Health System, Port of Columbia and area fire districts. A special extended filing period will be held

Wednesday through Friday next week for those positions that received no filers last week. For more information, contact the auditor's office in either county.

For positions receiving fewer than three candidate filings, the names shown below will appear on the general election ballot in November. Election date is November 3.

CITY OF DAYTON			
MAYOR	FILED: CRAIG GEORGE	INCUMBENT: CRAIG GEORGE	4-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER #2	FILED: ZAC WEATHERFORD	INCUMBENT: KATHLEEN BERG	4-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER #4	FILED: DAIN NYSOE	INCUMBENT: DAIN NYSOE	4-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER #5	FILED: KATHLEEN BERG	INCUMBENT: ARTHUR HALL	2-YEAR UNEXPIRED TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER #6	FILED: BYRON KACZMARSKI	INCUMBENT: BYRON KACZMARSKI	4-YEAR TERM
COLUMBIA CO FIRE DIST 1			
COMMISSIONER #2	FILED: RICHARD RUBENSER	INCUMBENT: RICHARD RUBENSER	6-YEAR TERM
COLUMBIA CO FIRE DIST 2			
COMMISSIONER #1	UNFILED	INCUMBENT: BRUCE ABBEY	6-YEAR TERM
COMMISSIONER #2	FILED: DEBORAH FORTNER	INCUMBENT: DEBORAH FORTNER	6-YEAR TERM
COLUMBIA CO FIRE DIST 3			
COMMISSIONER #1	FILED: RICHARD INGRAM, JR.	INCUMBENT: RICHARD INGRAM, JR.	6-YEAR TERM
COLUMBIA CO PORT DIST			
COMMISSIONER #3	FILED: FRED CROWE	INCUMBENT: FRED CROWE	6-YEAR TERM
DAYTON SCHOOL DIST			
DIRECTOR #2	UNFILED	INCUMBENT: STEVEN MARTIN	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR #3	FILED: MARCHAND HOVRUD	INCUMBENT: MARCHAND HOVRUD	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR #4	FILED: JOE HUETHER	INCUMBENT: JOE HUETHER	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR #4	FILED: KATIE LEID	INCUMBENT: JOE HUETHER	4-YEAR TERM
PRESCOTT PARK & REC DIST			
COMMISSIONER #1	UNFILED	INCUMBENT: JODY STILLMAN	
COMMISSIONER #4	UNFILED	INCUMBENT: JERRY TONNE	
COMMISSIONER #5	FILED: SUE KIMZEY	INCUMBENT: CHUCK CARRUTHERS	4-YEAR SHORT & FULL TERM
PRESCOTT SCHOOL DISTRICT			
DIRECTOR DIST 2	FILED: EVA MADRIGAL	INCUMBENT: EVA MADRIGAL	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR DIST 3	FILED: KAREN TONNE	INCUMBENT: KAREN TONNE	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR DIST 4	FILED: LEANN GRIFFIN	INCUMBENT: MARK HAUCK	4-YEAR TERM
PUBLIC HOSPITAL DISTRICT			
COMMISSIONER #3	FILED: KENNETH J. DYBALL	INCUMBENT: JIM KIME	6-YEAR TERM
COMMISSIONER #3	FILED: JIM KIME	INCUMBENT: JIM KIME	6-YEAR TERM
COMMISSIONER #4	FILED: R. WES LEID	INCUMBENT: LISA NAYLOR	6-YEAR TERM
STARBUCK SCHOOL DIST			
DIRECTOR #1	FILED: BEVERLY WEATHERSPOON	INCUMBENT: LEO JAMES	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR #2	FILED: GLORIA JOSEY	INCUMBENT: JILL WOOD	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR #5 AL	FILED: CAROL WILDMAN	INCUMBENT: CAROL WILDMAN	4-YEAR TERM
TOWN OF STARBUCK			
CLERK/TREASURER	FILED: CANDICE HARRISON	INCUMBENT: CANDICE HARRISON	4-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER #1	FILED: DENERD HARSTAD	INCUMBENT: DENERD HARSTAD	4-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER #3	FILED: TRAVIS CONNELLY	INCUMBENT: TRAVIS CONNELLY	4-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER #3	FILED: K. RUTH SHEARER	INCUMBENT: TRAVIS CONNELLY	4-YEAR TERM
COUNCIL MEMBER #5	FILED: JOHN A. WOOD	INCUMBENT: JOHN A. WOOD	4-YEAR TERM
WAITSBURG SCHOOL DIST			
DIRECTOR DIST 1	FILED: MARILYN JOHNSON	INCUMBENT: MARILYN JOHNSON	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR DIST 2	FILED: CHRISTINE HOUSE	INCUMBENT: CHRISTINE HOUSE	4-YEAR TERM
DIRECTOR POS 5	UNFILED	INCUMBENT: GREG ZUGER	4-YEAR TERM

Touchet Valley Weather

May 20, 2015

Waitsburg's Seven Day Forecast

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
Partly Cloudy	Mostly Cloudy	Mostly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Few T-storms	Mostly Cloudy
High: 75 Low: 53	High: 76 Low: 51	High: 71 Low: 54	High: 76 Low: 50	High: 74 Low: 51	High: 73 Low: 55	High: 70 Low: 52

Weather Trivia

How can you tell how many miles away a lightning bolt is?

Answer: Count the seconds between the lightning and the thunder and divide by five.

Weather History

May 20, 1988 - Thunderstorms in the south central United States produced wind gusts to 70 mph at Omaha, Neb. and wind gusts to 80 mph at Midland, Texas and Dallas. Temperatures in California soared into the 90s and above 100 degrees.

Local Almanac Last Week

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip	Precipitation
Monday	74	54	71/47	0.00"	1.05"
Tuesday	62	50	71/47	0.49"	0.47"
Wednesday	61	47	71/47	0.56"	+0.58"
Thursday	71	45	72/47	0.00"	.595"
Friday	66	52	72/47	0.00"	.594"
Saturday	73	54	72/48	0.00"	+0.1"
Sunday	70	54	72/48	0.00"	

Data as reported from Walla Walla

Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
First 5/25	5:13 a.m.	8:25 p.m.	7:42 a.m.	10:54 p.m.
Wednesday	5:12 a.m.	8:26 p.m.	8:38 a.m.	11:39 p.m.
Thursday	5:11 a.m.	8:27 p.m.	9:37 a.m.	Next Day
Friday	5:10 a.m.	8:28 p.m.	10:37 a.m.	12:18 a.m.
Saturday	5:09 a.m.	8:29 p.m.	11:37 a.m.	12:51 a.m.
Full 6/2	5:08 a.m.	8:30 p.m.	12:36 p.m.	1:21 a.m.
Monday	5:07 a.m.	8:31 p.m.	1:35 p.m.	1:48 a.m.
Tuesday				

PIONEER PORTRAITS

Ten Years Ago May 26, 2015

The Class of 2005 of Waitsburg High School will hold commencement exercises at 8 p.m. Friday, June 10, 2005. The ceremony will be held on Kison Court. Twenty-three members of the class will receive diplomas. Giving the valedictory address will be Jill Bickelhaupt, who maintained a 4.0 g.p.a. during her four years of high school. Salutatorian of the Class of 2005 is Gabriel Kiefel, who finished with a 3.884 g.p.a.

The Waitsburg Community Revitalization Committee float, a replica of the mill built by Ed Lawrence and paraded by committee member Jeff Broom, was the first-place float in the Civil/Fraternal Division of the 2005 Days of Real Sport parade last Saturday.

Twenty-Five Years Ago May 24, 1990

Waitsburg Lions installed Rich Oates and Woody Epp as new members Tuesday night, and heard several reports on activities involving the Days of Real Sport. Lion Dan McKinley was given some gentle ribbing about setting up the Lions tent, only to have it blown down in the high wind. Conflicting reports on damage to the unit were received.

Sandy Conover, member of Waitsburg FFA Chapter, qualified for a trip to the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri, by placing second in the state competition held in Pullman last week.

Fifty Years Ago May 20, 1965

Postmaster Ivan Keve this week showed me a whole stack of mail that he has received waiting to be cancelled by the new "100th Anniversary" cachet. Some stamp buff published a notice about our celebration in a philatelic magazine, and 'Ike' has received inquiries from all over the country – some as far away as 10017.

Rumour has it that one of the numbers on this year's program will be a number of songs by a quartet which graduated just fifty years ago. The group sang their way thru the eighth grade and high school and are preparing to make another appearance on May 29. Members of the quartet are Glen Conover, Waitsburg; Basil Austin, Walla Walla; Verl Keiser, Long Beach, Ca.; and Harold Wayde, Pasco.

Seventy-Five Years Ago May 24, 1940

Extensive flood control work, 25 miles of roads and streets construction, a memorial building, substantial park improvement and new water and sewer systems are listed among the permanent improvement completed for Walla Walla County by the Works Project Administration during the past four and a half years.

Rainbow Assembly Monday evening held majority services for Roberta Stonecipher, Elizabeth Wolfe and Mary Elizabeth Walker. Joan Hamilton was installed as advisor with her staff of officers. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Buroker of Huntsville announces the engagement of their daughter, Roma, to Lloyd Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dennis of Lowden.

One Hundred Years Ago May 28, 1915

The Patriotic Order of Sons of America gave a banquet in the K of P Hall on Monday evening at which about one hundred person sat down and greatly enjoyed themselves.

Mrs. Joyce Mantz left Sunday to join Mr. Mantz at Topeka, Kansas after a visit with relatives here for some weeks. She was accompanied part of the way by Miss Brown who taught one of the grade rooms in our school during the past year and who goes home to remain.

W.B. Shaffer and wife and daughter Wilma, left Tuesday evening for California points including Los Angeles and San Francisco. They will be absent several weeks.

Mrs. J. S. Houtchesn went to Spokane Tuesday night upon receipt of a telephone message tht her daughter, Mrs. Lillian Benn, was seriously ill with ptomaine poisoning.

One Hundred Twenty-Five Years Ago May 23, 1890

Cards are out announcing the marriage of I. A. Wilson and Miss Florence Mullinix at the M.E. Church this city Wednesday next at 7:30 p.m. Reception at residence of J.P. Mullinix 8 to 9:30.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will serve strawberries and ice cream at the City Hotel on Saturday (Tomorrow) evening from 6 to 8 o'clock and also after 9 o'clock – served in the hotel dining room.

S. Wood, having sold out the restaurant and bakery business entire, will give his attention to improving his ten acre tract in the west part of the city. He will put up a barn which he will occupy as a residence until about the time snow flies when he will put up a residence.

Wedding cake taken on advertising accounts at this office. Fruit cake preferred.



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TOUCHET VALLEY NEWS

WEEKLY CALENDAR

22-24

MULE MANIA
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Rascal Rodeo Benefit Dinner & Auction
Woody's Bar & Grill, Dayton, Wash.
5:30-7:30 p.m.

Fundraiser to benefit Rascal Rodeo, a nonprofit that provides Exceptional Rodeos FREE of charge for anyone with mental and/or physical disabilities. Dinner and live music at 5:30 and auction at 7:30 p.m. Call Woody's 382-2364 or Village Shoppes 382-9152 for tickets.

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Waitsburg Resource Center
106 Preston Avenue
9-11 a.m.

The Center provides food and resources to families in the Waitsburg and Prescott School Districts.

Dayton Days Parade
Main Street
10 a.m.

Blue Mountain Station Summer Market

Blue Mountain Station, (700 Artisan Way, Dayton)
11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Season Opening!

Crochet Class
Prescott Library
1 p.m.

Waitsburg High School Reunion and Banquet
Waitsburg Elementary School
5 p.m.

The High School will be open from 4-6 p.m. with a Meet & Greet at the Elementary School multi-purpose room at 5 p.m. and dinner at 6 p.m. An after-hours social gathering will be held at Whiskey Creek Bar & Grill.

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Praise Singing
Waitsburg Christian Church
7 p.m.

Depression and Bipolar Support Group
Dayton Public Library
Delaney Room
7-8:30 p.m.

25

Memorial Day Breakfast
Legion Hall (211 E.

Clay, Dayton)
7-10 a.m.

Memorial Day Program
Waitsburg City Cemetery
11 a.m.
Potato bar to follow at Waitsburg Elementary School.

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Dayton Library Story Time
Dayton Memorial Library
Baby & Toddler storytime at 10 a.m. and Preschool storytime at 10:45.

Prescott Library Story Time
Prescott Library
10:30 a.m.
Crafts and stories geared to preschool children, but all ages are welcome.

Waitsburg Senior Round Table
Waitsburg Presbyterian Church
11:30 a.m.
Join local seniors every Tuesday for lunch. \$4 suggested donation for those over 60. \$7 charge for guests under 60. Meals on Wheels are available. Call 337-8541 for more info.

Dayton Senior Round Table

Senior Center (403 E. Patit St.)
12 p.m.
Tuesdays and Thursdays. Call 382-2836 to RSVP by the day prior.

Artisan Food Market
Blue Mountain Station, Dayton
12-6 p.m.

Weight Loss Support
Waitsburg Clinic
5:30 p.m.
Optional weigh-in at 5:15 and an optional 30 minute group walk following the meeting at 6 p.m.

Blue Mountain Artists' Guild
Delaney Building (Dayton)
7 p.m.
All artists welcome.

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Dayton Planning Commission
Planning Commission Board Room
6:30 p.m.

Dayton Historic Preservation Committee
Planning Commission Board Room
6 p.m.

POLICE NOTES

Waitsburg

Nothing to report.

Dayton

May 10
Resident on Patit Road awoken by someone knocking on the door; requested deputies check the area, but they were unable to locate anyone.

May 11
Suspicious black SUV reportedly parked near the school on E. Park Street; vehicle left before a deputy could respond. Possible violation of a no-contact order reported on E. Mustard Street. Caller on W. Main Street reporting assault, claiming he was kicked in the back by another resident.

May 12
Theft of chainsaw and sound system speakers from Columbia County Fairgrounds. Caller requesting a male subject be trespassed from the fairgrounds. Vandalism/car prowling reported on W. Main Street; somebody entered a vehicle and attempted to remove the stereo causing damage to the dashboard.

May 13
Vehicle on Highway 12 at milepost 373 lost its load and was partially blocking the roadway. Deputies assisted city workers in removing vehicles from city property. Suspicious phone call reported on N. 5th Street; unknown person claimed to need access to the residence to check wiring. Caller on E. Richmond Avenue reported receiving a threatening phone call from a blocked number.

May 14
Harassment reported on E. Tremont Street; caller requested to file a criminal trespass form against another individual.

May 15
Fraudulent phone call reported on N. Touchet Road. Neighborhood disturbance reported on E. Washington Avenue; neighbor was yelling at the caller stating the caller could not be on the property. Deputies investigated and determined the caller did not have permission to be on the property.

May 16
Animal bite reported by Dayton General Hospital; owner of dog on S. 3rd Street was bitten by own dog. Suspicious circumstances on E. Dayton Avenue; several people reported hearing knocks on their doors but nobody there. Waitsburg driver Michael Hankins, 26, was cited on suspicion of driving on a suspended license. Passenger Edward Terry, 29, of Dayton was arrested on a felony warrant out of Garfield County for a probation violation.

BIRTHDAYS

May 22: Nancy Startin, Victor Langdon, Kathryn Kirk and Reed Olsen.
May 23: Allen Ford, Greg Bichsel, Kathy Maioli, Elizabeth Hermanns and Bill Box.
May 24: Bob Patton, Guy McCaw, Amanda Short, Amanda Higgins and Alexander LeClerc.
May 25: Bill Hinchliffe, Holly Foster, Jason Payne, Wes Leid, George J. Robinson, Greg Leid, Abby Grende and Iris Reed.
May 26: Hannah Perry, Pam Hermanns, Rob John and Pamela Gluck.
May 27: Betty Maxwell, Sherrie Erikson, Michelle Anderson, Floyd Strohmaier, Mathew Conrath, Allen Robertson and Laisha Archer.
May 28: Roy Phillips, Mike Snyder, Jo Wolfe, James Wright, Andrea Miller and Jessie Duckworth.

CLASSIFIEDS

HELP WANTED

Position open in the Dayton School District for a 4/5 multi-grade class room teacher for one year only. To apply, submit a Certificated application, letter of interest and resume, transcript(s) and two letters of reference. Applications can be found on the District website at www.daytonsd.org or the District office at 609 S. 2nd Street. For more information contact Jana Eaton at 382-2543. Closing date May 29, 2015 or until filled. EOE

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENTS:
Waitsburg School District is accepting applications for high school social studies teacher

(history, civics/government, geography, and economics) for the 2015-2016 school year; applicant must be highly qualified to teach these subjects. Maintenance Custodian (8 hrs./day; 40 hrs./week) this is a temporary position, June 1-August 31, 2015. Application materials are available online @ waitsburgsd.org or by calling the District Office at (509) 337-6301 ext. 3312. Head middle school football coach for the 2015-2016 school year. For application and information contact: Lori Bartlow @ 509-337-9474 or lbartlow@waitsburgsd.org. Positions are open until filled. Waitsburg School District is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Rev. Bret Moser

Waitsburg Chapel
320 W. 2nd
Sunday School- 9:45 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Bible Study
Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.
Rev. Jimmie Daves
337-6235

School Lunch Menu

Breakfast listed first.
Fruits & vegetables, non-fat chocolate milk and 1% white milk are offered with every meal.

22: French Toast; Ham & Cheese Pockets, Cookie
25: No School - Memorial Day
26: Biscuit & Gravy; Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza
27: Longjohn; Nachos
28: Egg, Sausage, Hash Browns; Hot Ham & Cheese

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COMMENTARY

GUEST COMMENT

THANKS FOR A SUCCESSFUL CELEBRATION DAYS

By Mayor Walt Gobel

Dear Citizens of Waitsburg, Thank you for supporting our 2015 Waitsburg Celebration Days and celebration of our 150th anniversary of Waitsburg! It was a great turnout for everything. As Mayor of this "one of a kind" city, I was so proud of the weekend, but most of all, thanks to the many, many volunteers that made it happen.

I am referring to the Waitsburg Celebration Board and committee members. The committee consists of the following very faithful members: Robbie Johnson serves as vice president, Marianne Newell as secretary, Deanne Johnson as Treasurer. Other Board members are: Joy Smith, Ann Adams, Wendy Richards, Lynne Carpenter, Lisa Naylor, Dena Woods, Ron Standing, Fred Hamann, Debra Callahan, Randy Hinchliffe, and Gwen Gobel. They have been meeting every month since early last fall, and working diligently to achieve this very successful weekend. Their leadership made the difference for our event weekend.

Thanks also to the Waitsburg Old Car group, the American Legion, the PEO Club, the Historical Society, the Commercial Club, and the Lions Club. They all worked and got involved to achieve the best weekend for a long time. Thanks for the youth organizations for their assistance.

Thanks also belong to our major financial supporters: Pacific Power, the Commercial Club, the Waitsburg Lions, Days of Real Sport, and Pepsi of Walla Walla. Without these donations, this weekend would never have been successful. Thanks to many private donors for their donations.

Thanks to the many extra volunteers, helping with the parade, the ATV Poker run, the Karen Huwe Mohny Memorial Ride, the ATV Challenge Course, thanks to our volunteer announcers, Scott Archer and Fred Hamann, thanks to the City Crew for the fine job that they did getting our city ready for visitors!

Thanks to this newspaper for your help sharing the news of Waitsburg Celebration Days all year! The Sheriff's office was very cooperative with coverage at our events, and for the parade traffic detour.

In all, there are no words to thank you all personally, but I am extremely proud of everything that happened over Waitsburg Celebration Days!



EMMA PHILBROOK: STUDENT LIFE

Coming Soon: Wisdom From My Cats

As the end of my high-school career draws closer, people are asking me more and more frequently whether this column will continue once I leave for college.



Unfortunately, the demanding coursework awaiting me as a freshman at Whitman will consume most of my free time, and so it will most likely be well-nigh impossible for this piece to continue in its current format.

However, I have several ideas for utilizing this space in an entertaining manner well into the future, and I wanted to run them past you.

- One option, for those of you primarily concerned with keeping up with the events of the Philbrook household, is having a member of my immediate family begin writing a column in my stead. Of course, Mom hasn't written creatively for fifteen years, and Chris usually does his homework on Sunday night when I type this thing. But I'm sure that, given an effective translator, either of the cats would do an admirable job.
- If it's my writing that you're into, for one reason or another, I can publish the corny mystery novella I wrote in the ninth grade as a serial. That should get us through my freshman year, at least, provided anybody can be bothered to care about the characters post-Chapter 1.
- If you're more interested in my current writing, I can always send in my term papers to be published as serials. (C'mon, you know you've always been interested in ethnomusicology!)
- What? Not actually that interested in ethnomusicology, corny mystery novellas, or my cats? In that case, I've got one word for you - reruns. (Or perhaps reprints would be more accurate.) Of course, the events they discuss will be only distant memories at the time of publication, and you'll be forced to deal with my amateurish tenth-grade banter on a regular basis. But other than that they'll be just like new!
- Don't like leftovers? In that case, The Times can always publish the Lost Columns. These were my inaugural attempts at writing a humor column. They're actually pretty good columns, but my first editor favored a more matter-of-fact writing style, so none of them ever made print. They're fresh, they're funny, and they're surprisingly similar to the bunk I crank out these days. The only problem is that there are only two of them.
- On the other hand, going back to the serial concept, I could send in my valedictorian's address for publication. That would last you all the way through November. (Can I help it if I'm loquacious?)
- Perhaps the ideal solution would be for me to send a little "update" piece in every month or so. I could probably manage one column every four weeks, and I would have all kinds of exciting things to talk about - my first all-nighter, my epic failures in art class, and maybe even a date or two.
- Does that sound good? If not, maybe we could just put a Sudoku puzzle here. Heck, there might even be room for two.



AND THERE YOU HAVE IT...TOM BRADY'S RESPONSE TO THE NFL

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EVENTS

WAITSBURG MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM

WAITSBURG - Waitsburg's annual American Legion Memorial Day program will take place, Monday, May 25 at 11 a.m. at the Waitsburg City Cemetery. The program will recognize Karen (Huwe) Mohny who was instrumental in building the Veterans Memorial Wall, located at the cemetery.

The American Legion Auxiliary will provide a potato bar luncheon at the Waitsburg Elementary School multipurpose room following the program.

COMMUNITY YARD SALE

WAITSBURG - The first Saturday in June marks Waitsburg's 18th annual community-wide yard sale. For this year's June 6 event, it's free to be listed on the yard sale map, but the deadline is coming quick. To be included in the free directory printed in next week's issue email dena@waitsburgtimes.com by Monday, June 1, with your address.

WAITSBURG LIVESTOCK SHOW AND FAIR

ENTRY DEADLINE IS MAY 29

WAITSBURG - The deadline to enter items in Waitsburg's 61st annual Livestock Show and Fair is just around the corner. Last year's show boasted approximately 70 exhibitors, and the Applied Arts Building earned the coveted Washington State Fair Commission black-and-white ribbon as an outstanding display.

This longstanding Waitsburg tradition - originally known as the Waitsburg Junior Livestock Show - was once open to only 4-H and FFA members, but now welcomes open class entries from youth and adults in Walla Walla County.

Exhibitors compete in a variety of animal categories as well as Herdsman, Fitting and Showing, Tractor Driving and Livestock Judging.

The Applied Arts Building includes entries in Foods & Nutrition, Crafts, Clothing, Knitting/Crocheting, Educational Posters & Displays, Photography, and more. Open class entries are available for all ages and divisions.

Premium books are available at the Walla Walla Extension Office (328 W. Poplar) or Northwest Farm Supply (850 N. 4th Ave, Walla Walla). All entries must be postmarked by May 29, 2015. Email waitsburgfair@gmail.com for more information.

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Mule Mania participants will join in, following after the traditional parade. "Technically it will be two parades in one," said Linze Greenwalt, events coordinator with the Dayton Chamber of Commerce.

Dayton Days at the Boldman House Museum, 410 N. 1st Street, will be "a lot of fun," Greenwalt said. Guests to this free event from 1-4 p.m. on Saturday will get to experience some typical activities in the life of a Dayton family from the early 1900s.

Activities and demonstrations will include quilt blocking, how to do laundry with a washboard and ringer, how to plant flowers, how to make a rag doll, how to cook with cast iron and a fire pit and how to make butter. In addition, this historic home museum will be open for tours.

The celebration of Dayton's heritage will also take place at the Historic Dayton Depot, at 222 E. Commercial Street, from 1-4 p.m. and free of charge. Folk artists will perform on the depot court yard. Visitors can expect to participate in various arts and crafts. Learn how to make bobbin lace. Watch wool spun into yarn. A master weaver will demonstrate. Discover the old craft of string art. See beads become a beautiful ornament. Observe fine embroidery. And witness old fashioned soap demonstrations.

And don't miss out on Blue Mountain Station's opening of the summer season. Saturday from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m., guests can take part in the public market and family-friendly activities at the artisan food center, located on the corner of Highway 12 and Wagon Road just west of Dayton. The fun will include arts, crafts, specialty foods, fresh produce, live music, and kids' activities.

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WAITSBURG FFA FARES WELL AT STATE

MIKALA DERUWE IS TOP-10 STATE OFFICER CANDIDATE, QUALIFIES FOR NATIONALS

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

WAITSBURG – Thirteen Waitsburg FFA members spent Thursday through Saturday at the State FFA Convention in Pullman. The team walked away with a several awards including another Nutrients for Life win. Local FFA President Mikala DeRuwe had the distinguished honor of making it to the finals as a top-10 state officer candidate.

Waitsburg earned third place and a check for \$1,000 for this year's Nutrients for Life Project. The project, spearheaded by DeRuwe, involved partnering with local ag companies who taught high school plant and ag science students about the role fertilizer plays in the food cycle. Those students then presented what they had learned at a Community Information Night.

DeRuwe was honored to be a state officer finalist at the convention. Twenty-three candidates began the process of competing for a state officer position, which included a written test on FFA history, a five-minute interview, a group activity and a 15-minute interview. DeRuwe was one of the remaining candidates as the list was dropped from 23 to 10.

Candidates then presented a speech and chapter members voted on six officers. DeRuwe spoke on Celebrities in Agriculture and encouraged fellow FFA members to participate in one new CDE (Career Development Event) next year to explore a new area of agriculture. DeRuwe was not chosen as one of the six final officers, but was pleased to have gotten so close.

Other state prizes, awards, and recognitions include: Mikala DeRuwe - Beef Proficiency (1st Place Gold, moving to nationals); Emily Adams - Scrapbook (5th); Emily Adams, Jared Farley, Caitlyn Jones - Marketing Plan (14th); Tristan Newman, Anissa Holmbert, Tyler Brooks, Timber Froherich, Nick Kitselman - Meats Evaluation (14th); Luke Alexenko - Swine Proficiency; Megan Morrison, Hannah Grant - State Degree; Mikala DeRuwe - Prepared Public Speaking (15th).

Also, Tristan Newman, Luke Alexenko, Tom House and Megan Morrison helped with the Little Farmers teaching elementary students about lentils.



Photos Courtesy of Nicole Abel

Top: FFA members attending the 2015 State Convention include (l to r): Tom House, Anissa Holmberg, Emily Adams, Timber Froherich, Cassidy Kuykendall, Nicole Abel (advisor), Bridger Abel (mascot), Tristan Newman, Nikki Fischer, Caitlyn Jones, Nick Kitselman, Devin Newman, Jared Farley, Luke Alexenko, Tyler Brooks and Lanny Adams (chaperone).

Above left: Mikala DeRuwe gives her speech as one of the top ten candidates for FFA State Officer.

Above right: Fellow FFA members show their support for DeRuwe as she takes the stage to speak at the State Convention. (l to r): Nick Kitselman, Emily Adams, Anissa Holmberg, Cassidy Kuykendall, Timber Froherich, Luke Alexenko, Caitlyn Jones and Tom House.

Elementary Students Bring History to Life

By Dena Wood | THE TIMES

THIRD GRADERS HOST 'LIVING MUSEUM'

WAITSBURG – Waitsburg Elementary School third-grade teacher Marne Henderson loves finding unusual and exciting ways to bring learning to life for her students. Earlier this month, she accomplished that in a quite literal fashion when she challenged her students to bring historical figures to life as part of a "living museum."

Henderson's students spent the last several weeks studying biographies. As a culminating project, each third grader wrote a report and dressed up as the person they were studying. On May 1, the students arrived dressed in costume and prepared to share their knowledge with the first and second grade classes.

Students chose subjects ranging from Barack and Michelle Obama to Elvis Presley to Rosa Parks. The younger students were to approach a "statue," which would then "come alive" and share some highlights and details

from their life. "All the students from the three grades had a great time learning something new about someone famous," said Henderson.

"What a great time! It's so wonderful to have a teacher that engages kids in an out-of-the box manner. We are truly blessed," said third grade parent Tracy Barron, whose daughter Makenna dressed as Queen Elizabeth.

Living Museum actors included: Teighan Anderson, Sitting Bull; Makenna Barron, queen Elizabeth; Amy Bly, Harriet Tubman; Laney Crow, Wolfgang Mozart; Kairi Dahlby, Frida Kahlo; Jayce Dunleavy, Barack Obama; Ben Gason, Ronald Reagan; Eden Glaus, Sacagawea; Sofia Glaus, Dr. Suess; Jayce Gleason, Milton Hershey; Kylee Henry, Rosa Parks; Addie Johnson, Sacagawea; Taylor Krupkat, Dolly Parton; Julio Mercado, Franklin D. Roosevelt; McKenzie Miller, Michelle Obama; Cyson Morris, Elvis Presley; Jasper Morrow, Abraham Lincoln, Daniel Moser, Daniel Boone; Zack Norris, Elvis Presley; Josh Reser, Anne Frank; Marahsyn Russel, Rosa Parks; Tray Smith, Bill Gates; Bailey Standring, Leonardo da Vinci; Peyton Struckmeier, Johnny Appleseed; and Cohen Vails-Rauch, John F. Kennedy.

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Far left: Julio Mercado dressed and performed as Franklin Delano Roosevelt during the Living Museum program at Waitsbur Elementary School. Left: Jasper Morrow as Abraham Lincoln.



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gions. Their high spirits, pranks and antics added an extra shot of amusement to the festivities.

"I'm told the Shriners on the east side pick one parade a year to make a big show and all come to together," said parade organizer Gwen Gobel. "This year they chose to come to Waitsburg to help celebrate our 150th anniversary. At first I didn't know what was going on and thought I was getting duplicate applications! It's so special that they chose us," she added.

The Tri-Cities Steel Band Association's marimba band entertained the crowd following the parade, while more bands played at the antique auto show in Preston Park. At noon, area dignitaries spoke in honor of the city and to dedicate the bronze sculptures that now grace Waitsburg's Main Street.

Lt. Gov. Brad Owens recognized the many unique aspects of Waitsburg, referring to it as "small-town Washington at its best." A letter of appreciation was read from Congresswoman Cathy McMorris Rodgers. State Senator Mike Hewitt, who said he met his wife Corey "in the Days of Real Sport beer booth 33 years ago," offered praise as well.

Representatives Maureen Walsh (R-WA16) and Terry Nealey (R-WA16) read a House resolution honoring Waitsburg, and State Representative Norm Johnson, of Yakima, presented a framed copy of the original documents that established the city in 1881.

Walla Walla artists Squire Broel, Wayne Chabre and Jeffrey Hill each spoke about the experience of creating sculptures for the town.

The Town Hall Association's Waitsburg Brew Fest was considered an all-around success, with over 200 guests in attendance. "All seven breweries enjoyed the event and said they would like to come back again," said organizer Ron Standing.

One hundred eleven ATVs participated in the Karen's Ride ATV Poker Run, and 287 hands of poker were played. Upon returning to the fairgrounds, ATVs took a run through the mud pit and competed in the ATV challenge course. Prior to the return of the ATVs, a crew of kids had a ball "swimming" in the mud pit.

Saturday night wrapped up with PEO serving burgers in the Lion's Club Memorial Building, followed by music from bands Onion City and The FrogHollow Band in the Don Thomas Building.

Sunday brought Cowboy Church at Preston Park, a Duck Derby and the dedication of Wait's Mill Park just north of Main Street. Winners of the Rainbow Girls "Luck of the Duck" derby were Jim Mitchell (\$500), Sandy Baker (\$250), Cathy Lambert (\$100) and Kathy Greenwell (\$50).

They say "you can't have too much fun" but attendees at this weekend's events may have come close.



Photos by Dena Wood

Clockwise from top left: Cars from the Antique Auto Show lead the way in a scenic view of Saturday's parade.

Jolly the clown gives and receives a happy wave. A member of the El Katif Shriners Club received several hugs before announcing, "I think I'll stay right here!" Maureen Walsh, Norm Johnson and Terry Nealey display the town's resolution and original incorporation documents during Saturday's art dedication ceremony. Jayce Gleason (l) and his cousin Hayden Peralez engaged in exuberant "sword fighting" during the parade. A little cowboy makes a quick getaway after nabbing some candy.



Photo Courtesy of Karen Huwe

Waitsburg resident Jim Mitchell was more than pleased with his \$500 "Luck of the Duck" win on Sunday morning.

2015 WAITSBURG CELEBRATION DAYS PARADE WINNERS

Buggy & Hitch:

- 1st - AJ Carriages
- 2nd - Walla Walla Fair Parade Marshals
- 3rd - Dixie Aichele

Royalty:

- 1st - Asotin County Fair
- 2nd - Pendleton Round Up Court
- 3rd - Benton-Franklin Fair & Horse Heaven Rodeo

Organizations:

- 1st - Friends of the Library
- 2nd - American Legion
- 3rd - Commercial Club

Youth Organizations:

- 1st - Girl Scout Troop #531
- 2nd - Waitsburg Rainbow

Girls

Floats:

- 1st - Columbia County Fair
- 2nd - Waitsburg Class of 1980
- 3rd - Waitsburg Alumni Association

Performance:

- 1st - Main Street Cowboys (Pendleton)
- 2nd - El Katif Shrine Calliope
- 3rd - Waitsburg High School Band

Youth Riding:

- 1st - Walla Walla Wagonettes
- 2nd - Girls & Horses

Adult Riding:

- 1st - Blue Mountain riders
 - 2nd - Dragon's Gate Brewery
 - 3rd - Confederated Tribes of Umatilla
- Individuals:
1st - Jamie Galbraith

Whiskey Creek Plans June 1 Grand Opening

WAITSBURG - Staff at Waitsburg's Whiskey Creek Sports Bar and Grill tested equipment and honed the menu at a soft opening earlier this week. Grill owner, Dan Cole says the restaurant's grand opening is planned for June 1.

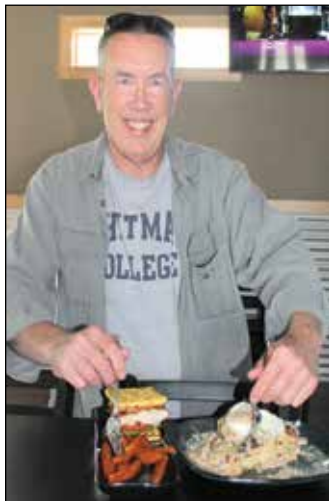
A few lucky guests were fortunate enough to taste "protein sandwiches" on Monday and seafood items on Tuesday. In addition to a massive plate of biscuit and gravy (topped off with a fried egg), Monday's guests taste-tested the Upside Down Southern (grilled chicken, smoked cheddar, maple-flavored aioli, lettuce and tomato) with Sweet Potato Fries and the Smoked Cheddar Steak Sandwich (salsa fresco, smoked cheddar and flank steak). Tuesdays testers were treated to items such as the salmon sandwich, cod, fish & chips and clam chowder.

The crew used the soft opening to break in the equipment and get feedback on menu items. General Manager Gary Bales mentioned favorable reviews of a peanut butter burger, but there was no confirmation that it would become a regular menu item.

With a television screen within eye-shot of every table, the industrial-style inside seating area is ready for guests. Seating will be added to the patio in front of the restaurant as well. Staff will continue to iron out the kinks while they stock the shelves over the next two weeks before welcoming guests on June 1, just in time for summer!

Photo by Dena Wood

The Times publisher Ken Graham gave "two fork approval" at a taste test on Monday afternoon.



KEY TO THE PIANO



Photo by Dena Wood

Retiring Waitsburg Christian Church pastor of 25 years, Mike Ferrians, was honored in a retirement celebration on Sunday, May 17. The ceremony got a bit emotional when Waitsburg Santa, Skip Winchester, dressed in "formal summer attire," presented Ferrians with a special key. Santa said he has a key that allows him entry to homes without chimneys on Christmas Eve, but that this key was even more special. The key he presented to Ferrians, on behalf of the church, works, 24/7, seven days a week, 365 days a year and allows Ferrians access to play the church's grand piano (cherished by Ferrians) whenever he likes, he said.

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The American Legion Color Guard from Dayton's Post #42 will lead the Dayton Days & Mule Mania Parade.

MULE MANIA & DAYTON DAYS EVENTS – DAYTON, WASHINGTON

Friday, May 22

8 a.m. Mule Mania Classic (Classes 1-19) – Fairgrounds Outdoor Arena
 9 a.m. Vendors Open Shops – Fairground Mall
 Noon-11 p.m. Beer Garden – Fairground Mall
 1 p.m. Mule Mania Classic (Classes 20-33) – Fairgrounds Outdoor Arena
 6 p.m. Chuck Wagon Cook-off & Dinner – Fairground Mall

Saturday, May 23

9 a.m. Vendors Open Shops – Fairground Mall
 10 a.m. Dayton Days & Mule

Mania Parade – Main Street, Dayton

11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Summer Season Opening at Blue Mountain Station

Noon-12 a.m. Beer Garden – Fairground Mall

1 p.m. Mule Mania Classic (Grand Entry) – Fairgrounds Outdoor Arena

1 p.m. Mule Mania Classic (Classes 34-49) – Fairgrounds Outdoor Arena

1-4 p.m. Dayton Days at the Boldman House Museum

1-4 p.m. Dayton Days at the Historic Dayton Depot

6 p.m. Chuck Wagon Cook-off & Dinner – Fairground Mall

8 p.m. – 12 a.m. Live Music & Dancing with The FrogHollow Band – Beer Garden

Sunday, May 24

7 a.m. Cowboy Church – Fairground Mall

8 a.m. Mule Mania Classic (Classes 50-62) – Fairgrounds Outdoor Arena

9 a.m. Vendors Open Shops – Fairground Mall

Lunch Break

Mule Mania Classic (Classes 63-72) – Fairgrounds Outdoor Arena

“End of Classes” Highpoint Awards Ceremony – Fairgrounds Outdoor Arena

Proposed Land Swap Has Neighbors Steamed

DNR HOPES TO SELL NORTHERN COLUMBIA CO. PROPERTY TO BPA IN EXCHANGE FOR KING CO. LAND

By Dian Ver Valen | THE TIMES

DAYTON – Last week the Washington State Department of Natural Resources presented to several county residents at a public hearing its plan to sell 640 acres of land it owns in Columbia County to the Bonneville Power Administration in exchange for land deemed of equal value that BPA owns in King County.

All three county residents in attendance were unhappy with DNR. Merle Jackson, a county commissioner and land owner in the rural northern part of the county where this land exchange is planned, said the transaction was not negotiated on a “level playing field.”

Raymond DeRuwe, who leases the Jackson Farm, agreed and said, “I have a point to drive home, which is that private land owners don’t have the same rights as the state when they’re negotiating land deals. The same rules should apply whether you’re state or private.”

Jackson and DeRuwe are steamed about the DNR-BPA land swap primarily because Jackson and his family have leased those 640 acres north of Starbuck near the Snake River to graze livestock for more than 70 years; they’ve owned the land on two sides of the parcel for more than a century. Gerald Magill, the third resident at the hearing, is manager of the Ferrell and Luvads property, which is situated on the other two sides of DNR’s lot.

BPA is buying the land because it wants to install a transmission line through the property as part of the Central Ferry-Lower Monumental project. One

transmission line, decades old, already exists across parcel. DNR has deemed that the second transmission line will “encumber” the property to such an extent that it will no longer be of value to the agency, which holds the land in a Common School Trust. In addition, the parcel is “land locked,” being surrounded by private land with no public access.

Rather than further reduce the value of this “under-productive” land, DNR wants to swap with BPA for approximately 80 acres of forested land in the Cedar River Watershed near Seattle. BPA has no interest in owning the land in Columbia County but merely wants to install the transmission line there; the agency plans to re-sell the land once acquired from DNR, according to Mari Rosales, who represented BPA at the public hearing last week.

“Why wasn’t I allowed to buy that land?” Jackson questioned. None of the agency representatives had an answer. “The cows don’t care about the power lines. I pay the lease on that land every year... Chasing rainbows is not always what it’s cracked up to be. A good, steady income is something you can bank on.”

Common School Trust lands were granted at statehood by the federal government. Seventy-one percent of income generated by production on these and other DNR trust lands goes to benefit schools (\$6 billion has been earned for trust beneficiaries since 1970); 29 percent is used by DNR to put back into the land.

Public Hearing:

Written testimony on this proposed land exchange will be accepted until 5 p.m. on May 29. Send to: Department of Natural Resources, Attn: Land Exchange No. 86-088638, 111 WA Street S.E., Olympia, WA 98504-7014 or email comments to exchange@dnr.wa.gov.

County Joins Purchasing Group

Interlocal agreement is meant to streamline acquisition of EMS equipment

By Dian Ver Valen THE TIMES

DAYTON – Columbia County Commissioners agreed last week to sign an interlocal agreement with the Houston-Galveston Area Council, a government services organization based in Texas, through which the county may purchase product and services from other government agencies.

Lisa Caldwell, agency management director for the county, presented the agreement to commissioners last week. She hopes

that joining the council will assist the county in purchasing a new 911 phone system for the Columbia County Public Safety Communications Center.

“It is one more avenue to purchase equipment and save the county money,” Caldwell explained. “And it saves us from having to go out for RFP and going through the sealed bid process – it’s time saving.”

As a unit of local government assisting other local governments, HGAC states it will strive “to make the governmental procurement process more efficient by establishing competitively priced contracts for goods and services, and providing the customer service necessary to help its members achieve their procurement goals,” according to the council’s website.

All contracts available to members of HGAC have been awarded by virtue of a public competitive

procurement process compliant with state statutes, the site reads. Many area agencies are HGAC members including the cities of Walla Walla, Richland and Clarkston as well as Cowlitz and Pacific counties and a number of Washington school districts.

For nearly two years, Caldwell has reported on her department’s failing computer systems, which include the 911 phone system and the computer-aided dispatch.

The phone system has been on hold and will continue to be until at least until July, Caldwell predicted earlier this year. By then, the state will have determined whether Columbia County is eligible to receive the approximately \$150,000 it needs to replace the antiquated 911 phone software, computer server, and other related call-taking equipment in the communication center.

DAYTON – Local youth leaders are asking community members and other supporters to help save the Dayton Summer Youth Program (Summer Rec.). All supporters must do is go online to: <https://www.state-assist.com/cause/1502697/sos-save-our-summer>.

Those who vote for SOS (Save Our Summer) will help Blue Mountain Counseling and the Coalition for Youth and Families win a \$25,000 grant from State Farm Insurance. Projects that receive the most community support (the top 40 projects) through voting will be awarded the funds. Supporters can vote up to 10 times each day for the SOS program; voting closes on June 3.

“Please vote these 10 times every day for three weeks,” urged Laura Tolman, prevention coordinator with Blue Mountain Counseling. Voters can select a box on the page to use all 10 votes of the day on the SOS project without having to return 10 separate times. “We are a small community, and it will take a lot more work for us to win this grant over the huge cities with much more resources. Summer Rec makes a huge difference to this community. Help keep it alive. Send this information to friends, relatives, neighbors anyone you can think of.”

Out of 4,000 grant applicants across the nation, only 200 were selected to participate in this next phase, according to Tolman. “Peggy [Gutierrez, with the Coalition for Youth and Families] and I teared up when we heard our program made the 200. We are such a small rural community what were the chances, right? Well we made it this far. Now it is up to the community, friends, family and all who care about our kids to get us through this next phase.”

If funded, Save Our Summer would operate much like an expanded “summer camp” for children ages 5 - 12 and provide volunteer and employment opportunities for teens, according to the mission of the program published on the voting site. “Fun, engaging, and challenging activities would include: exploring other cultures through creative and interactive experiential programs; examining environmental science through illusions, brain games, and experiments; using Disney characters through hands on approaches to learn basic computer programming; utilizing ‘red-yarn-laser mazes’ to enhance physical fitness and hand-eye coordination; and crafts, swimming, and interactive play.”

SOS would provide nine-and-a-half hours per day, five days per week for six weeks of supervised summer experiential learning and recreational activities for local children. In addition, funds will be used to purchase learning tools, materials, supplies, and snacks.



Image taken from State Farm Neighborhood Assist website. From now until June 3, supporters can vote up to 10 times per day online for Save Our Summer. State Farm will grant \$25,000 to programs that receive the most votes. Dayton’s Summer Recreation program is competing with programs across the nation.

SPORTS



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Above left: Dayton's Heidi Dobbs gets a good look at a pitch. Above right: WP's Hannah Grant looks to score after a hard slide into third base.

Bulldogs Advance With Win over WP

MEGAN ROBINS GETS 15-0 ONE-HIT WIN IN PLAY-IN GAME

By Ken Graham
THE TIMES

DAYTON – The Dayton High softball team advanced to the Southeast 2B district tournament with a big win here over the WP Lady Tigers on May 12. The Tigers' loss ended their season.

Dayton pitcher Megan Robins gave up only one WP hit, while striking out 10. The Lady Bulldogs scored seven runs in the first three innings and

then eight in the fourth. The game ended on the mercy rule after the top of the fifth.

For Dayton, senior Sarah Phillips had four hits and two RBIs. She also had four stolen bases. Samii Bledsoe and Kellie Moore each added three hits.

WP gave up a total of 19 Dayton hits. Their lone hit, by Chloe Alleman came in the top of the fifth.

With the win, Dayton moved on to play Asotin in the first game of the district tournament on May 16 (see separate article).

W-P 00000 010
Dayton 0258X 15190

Battery: WP – Brown and Alleman; Dayton – Robins and Mings

Hits: W-P – Alleman; Dayton – Phillips 4, Frame, Bledsoe 3, Mings, Ramirez 2, Lowe 2, Dobbs 2, Moore 3, Becker

DAYTON BEATS ASOTIN, FALLS TO IRISH

Bulldogs moved on to the District 7/9 Regionals as 2nd seed

By Ken Graham | THE TIMES

WALLA WALLA – The Dayton Bulldogs' softball team had an easy time with Asotin Saturday in the first round of the Southeast District 9 tournament, beating the Panthers 11-1.

Sarah Phillips had her second consecutive four-hit game for Dayton, as she scored three times and scored two bases. Samii Bledsoe added two hits and three RBIs. Dayton had a total of 13 hits on the day.

Pitcher Megan Robins struck out 10 Asotin Batters, as the Lady Bulldogs moved on to round two against DeSales.

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Battery: Dayton – Robins and Mings; Asotin – Vargas, Hedding (7) and Maines

Hits: Dayton – Phillips 4, Frame, Bledsoe 2, Mings, Ramirez, Lowe 2, Dobbs, H. Becker; Asotin – Hedding, Macy, Lee

DeSales 9, Dayton 4

The Dayton girls gave up four first-inning runs to DeSales in their second game at districts Saturday and couldn't recover, losing 9-4. The Lady Bulldogs narrowed the score to 5-3 in the fourth inning, but gave up four more runs in the final three innings.

For the Game, Dayton had six hits, with Sarah Phillips and Taylor Frame getting two each. The Lady Bulldogs were also hurt by committing four errors. Pitcher Savannah McFarland gave up 10 Irish hits.

"We had smart base running and some terrific plays on defense," said Dayton assistant coach Desirae Jones. "We did mark a loss but the girls played a great game."

Dayton moves on, as the second seed, to the Southeast District 7/9 regional tournament in Spokane on Saturday. The tournament will be at Merkel Field in Northwest Spokane, with the first game beginning at 11 a.m.

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DeSales 410121X 9 10 2

Battery: Dayton – McFarland and Mings; DeSales – Brown and Thomas

Hits: Dayton – Phillips 2, Frame 2, Ramirez, Lowe; DeSales – Acock 2, Brown 2, Thomas 2, Lyons 2, Hall, James

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THE TIMES

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The camp is open to boys entering third through eighth grades in the fall. Boys from Dayton and other area schools are invited to attend as well.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NO. 15-4-0009-4

In the Matter of the Estate Of
KAREN L. MOHNEY, Deceased

The Administrator named below has been appointed and has qualified as the Administrator of this estate. Persons having claims against the decedent must, prior to the time such claims would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, serve their claims on the Administrator or the attorneys of record at the address stated below and file an executed copy of the claim with the Clerk of this Court within four months after the date of first publication of this notice or within four months after the date of the filing of the copy of this Notice with the Clerk of the Court, whichever is later, or except under those provisions included in R.C.W. 11.40.011 or 11.40.013 of this act, the claim will be forever barred. This bar is effective as to claims against both the probate assets and non-probate assets of the decedent.

DATE OF FILING OF NOTICE TO CREDITORS: May 11, 2015.
DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: May 14, 2015.

/s/ Kelly T. Mohney
KELLY T. MOHNEY, Administrator

c/o NEALEY & MARINELLA
Attorneys at Law, WSBA# 13826
P. O. Box 7; 338 E. Main Street
Dayton, WA 99328
(509) 382-2541

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Notice and Summons by Publication Dependency No: 15-7-00066-6

Superior Court of Washington
County of Walla Walla
Juvenile Court

In Re the Dependency of:

BAILEY, Emmy Lou

D.O.B.: 08-26-2014

To: SETH ADAMS and JOHN Doe, Father

A Dependency Petition was filed on April 22, 2015; a Fact Finding hearing will be held on this matter on: JUNE 23, 2015, at 9:30 a.m., at Walla Walla County Superior Court, 315 W. Main St., Walla Walla WA, Department II. You should be present at this hearing.

The hearing will determine if your child is dependent as defined in RCW 13.34.030(6). This begins a judicial process which could result in permanent loss of your parental rights. If you do not appear at the hearing, the court may enter a dependency order in your absence.

To request a copy of the Notice, Summons, and Dependency Petition, call DSHS at (509) 524-4900. To view information about your rights, including right to a lawyer, go to www.atg.wa.gov/DPY.aspx.

Dated: March 11, 2015

By direction of:
M. Scott Wolfram, Judge
KATHY MARTIN
Clerk

By: /s/ Kathy Martin
Deputy Clerk
Print Name: Kathy Martin

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CITY OF DAYTON,
WASHINGTON
ANNUAL EXTENSION OF THE 6-YEAR TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM, 2016-2021

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held on Monday, June 8, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. or soon thereafter at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Dayton to review the proposed Six (6) Year Transportation Improvement Program (6-Year TIP), 2016 – 2021 in accordance with RCW 35.77.010. Said public hearing will be held at Dayton's City Hall, 111 S. 1st Street, Dayton, WA. Additional information on the City of Dayton's 6-Year TIP may be obtained by contacting the City of Dayton at (509) 382-2361, by email cityclerk@daytonwa.com or visiting the City's website at www.dayton-wa.com.

Dated this 9th day of May, 2015.
City of Dayton by:
Trina Cole, City Clerk/
Treasurer
Published May 21 & 28, 2015
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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS & QUOTATIONS: Water Rights Services Provider

The Walla Walla Watershed Management Partnership solicits interest from qualified applicants to provide professional water rights analysis services. The Partnership is a local public agency formed as a Water Management Board under RCW 90.92.

A detailed RFQQ including information on the application requirements is available at <http://www.wallawallawatershed.org/request-for-proposals/> or contact Casey Goff at 509.524.5216. Application materials must be received by 4 p.m. on June 5, 2015.

Participation by minority and women-owned firms is encouraged. The Partnership is an Equal Opportunity Employer and complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS & QUOTATIONS: Legal Services Provider

The Walla Walla Watershed Management Partnership solicits interest from qualified applicants to provide legal services. The Partnership is a local public agency formed as a Water Management Board under RCW 90.92.

A detailed RFQQ including information on application requirements is available at <http://www.wallawallawatershed.org/request-for-proposals/> or contact Casey Goff at 509.524.5216. Application materials must be received by 4 p.m. on June 5, 2015.

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PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS RCW 11.40.030 No: 15 4 000941

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA
In the Matter of the Estate of

MACLOVIA KROUM,

Deceased

The Administrator named below has been appointed as Administrator of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim could be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the Administrator or the Administrator's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced.

The claim must be presented within the later of:
Thirty (30) days after the Administrator served or mailed the Notice to Creditors as provided under 11.40.020(1)(c); or

Four (4) months after the date of the first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

Date of First Publication:
May 21, 2015

Administrator: Russell J. Kroum

Attorney for Administrator:
Daniel J. Hess, of Hess Law Office, PLLC
Address for Mailing or Service: Hess Law Office, PLLC
415 N. Second Avenue
Walla Walla, WA 99362

Court of the Probate Proceedings and Cause Number:
Walla Walla County Superior Court
Cause Number: 15 4 00094 1

/s/ Russell J. Kroum
Russell J. Kroum

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NONPROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS RCW 11.42.030 NO. 15-4-00104-1

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA

In re the Nonprobate Estate of:

VANCE E GEHRKE,

Deceased.

The Notice Agent named below has elected to give notice to creditors of the above-named decedent. As of the date of the filing of a copy of this notice with the court, the Notice Agent has no knowledge of any other person acting as Notice Agent or of the appointment of a Personal Representative of the decedent's estate in the State of Washington. According to the records of the court as are available on the date of the filing of this notice with the court, a cause number regarding the decedent has not been issued to any other Notice Agent and a Personal Representative of the decedent's estate has not been appointed.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.42.070 by serving on or mailing to the Notice Agent or the Notice Agent's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the Notice Agent's declaration and oath were filed. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty

days after the Notice Agent served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.42.020(2)(c); or (2) Four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.42.050 and 11.42.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: May 21, 2015.

The Notice Agent declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington, on May 7, 2015, at Suquamish, Washington, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Page M. Gehrke, Notice Agent

Attorney for Notice Agent and Address for Mailing or Service:

Jeff Burkhart, WSBA #39454
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Walla Walla, WA 99362
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PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS 11.40.020..030 No. 15-4-00213-3

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BENTON

In Re the Estate of:

JEANNE DEERINGHOFF,

Deceased.

The personal representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present

the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the personal representative or the personal representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: 1) Thirty days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or 2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

DATE OF FILING COPY OF NOTICE TO CREDITORS with Clerk of Court: May 18, 2015
DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: May 21, 2015 .

/s/ Amy J. Ford
AMY J. FORD
Personal Representative
3601 W. 36th Loop
Kennewick, WA 99337

Presented by:

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By: /s/ Timothy D. Anderson
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PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS RCW 11.40.030 NO: 15-4-00105-0

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA

In re the Estate of:

KAREN K. DUNN,

Deceased.

The personal representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the personal representative or the personal representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the Court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) thirty days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and RCW 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: May 21, 2015.

Mark A. Dunn
Personal Representative
Attorney for Personal Representative:

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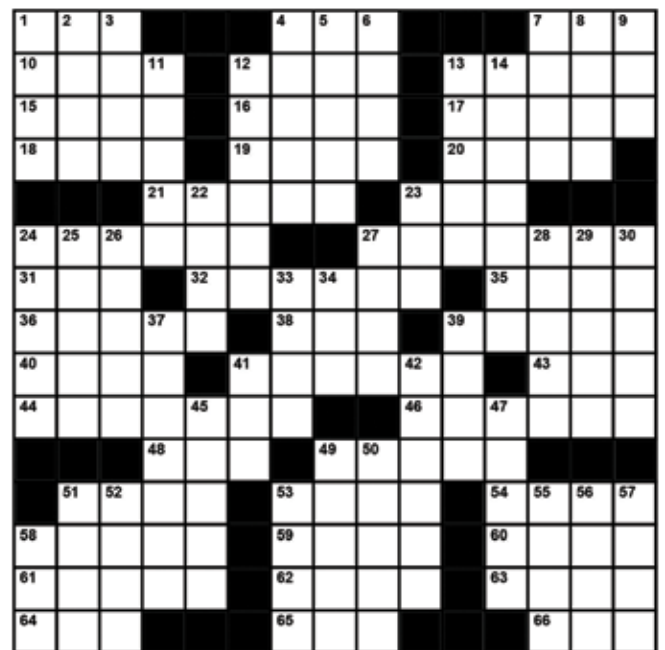
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA

PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS
RCW 11.40.030
NO: 15-4-00106-8

In re the Estate of: HARVEY R. HENRY, Deceased.

The personal representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the personal representative or the personal representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the Court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) thirty days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and RCW 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: May 21, 2015.

Patsy J. Henry
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 Attorney for Personal Representative:

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 509-529-0630

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION/ PUBLIC HEARING
File No. VAR15-004

The application described below has been submitted to the Walla Walla County Community Development Department (CDD). The notice of application is required by RCW 36.70B.110 and Walla Walla County Code (WWCC) 14.07.080.

File name/Docket #: Variance to allow replacement residence/VAR15-004

Application type: VARIANCE
 Applicant/ Owner: MORASCH, ROBERT G
 1017 E ALDER
 WALLA WALLA WA, 99362-
 Date application submitted: 5/15/2015

Project description: Variance to reduce required front yard setback (30-feet) to 20-feet, to allow for construction of a new

residence (replacing existing deteriorated structure) and a new pole building for storage. The proposed variance would allow for maximum setback from the adjacent erosion hazard area (slope exceeding 15%). The site is located generally at 10993 MILL CREEK RD (APN 380618220007).

Required Permits/Approvals: Building Permits, Critical Areas Review
 Required Studies: **None identified

Complete Application date: 5/19/2015
 Notice of Application date: 5/19/2015

REVIEW PROCESS AND PUBLIC COMMENT: The Hearing Examiner will make a decision within ten working days of the public hearing. Written testimony may be submitted prior to or at the public hearing on JUNE 8, 2015. Please indicate your name and address and refer to the file indicated above.

Walla Walla County Community Development Department
 c/o Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner
 310 W. Poplar Street, Suite 200
 Walla Walla, WA 99362
 commdev@co.walla-walla.wa.us

PUBLIC HEARING INFORMATION

June 8, 2015 at 9:30 AM
 Walla Walla County Courthouse Room 203
 315 W. Main Street
 Walla Walla, WA 99362
 The public hearing on this application ends at the conclusion of the June 8 public hearing.

Any interested person may comment on this application, receive notice, and participate in any hearings. Persons submitting testimony may participate in the public hearing, request a copy of the final decision, and have rights to appeal the final decision. You can obtain a copy of the staff report from the CDD by contacting the person listed below.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: For more information regarding this application, please contact Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner, at 509-524-2610 or commdev@co.walla-walla.wa.us.
 Walla Walla County complies with ADA; reasonable accommodation provided with 3 days notice.

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PROBATE NOTICE OF CREDITORS
No. 15-4-00107-6

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WALLA WALLA

In Re the Estate of MARY LOU GRISWOLD, Deceased.

The Personal Representative named below has been appointed as Personal Representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the

time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the Personal Representative or the Personal Representative's attorney stated below a copy of the claim and filing of the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the Personal Representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

Date of First Publication: May 21, 2015

/s/ Cathy McCauley
 CATHY MCCAULEY
 Personal Representative of the Estate of Olive S. Price

Attorney for the Personal Representative and address for mailing and service:

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 P.O. Box 1757
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 Walla Walla, WA 99362

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Court of Probate Proceedings and Cause Number: Walla Walla County Superior Court Cause No.:15-4-60107-6

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
File No. VAR15-003

The application described below has been submitted to the Walla Walla County Community Development Department (CDD).

File name/Docket #: Provide add'l space for wine barrel stor/VAR15-003

Application type: VARIANCE, CO
 Applicant/ Owner: DOUBLEBACK WINERY
 PO BOX 518
 WALLA WALLA WA, 99362
 Date application submitted: 4/29/2015

Project description: Variance to reduce the 50' agricultural buffer required by the clustering provisions to 15', in order to allow construction of a new wine storage building. Variance requested under WWCC 17.31.060R(1)(a). The site is located generally at 1825 J B GEORGE RD (APN 350613120005).

Required Permits/Approvals: Building Permit
 Required Studies: **None identified
 Complete Application date: 5/19/2015
 Notice of Application date:

JUST PLAYIN' AROUND



Photo by Dena Wood

Waitsburg farmer Jack McCaw took a seat at "The Game Table" during Saturday's art dedication ceremony. McCaw was one of the farmers who visited artist Wayne Chabre's home to share about Waitsburg farming and history.

Note: McCaw would like to propose that photos printed on the BACK page of The Times are not subject to the "Maple Bar Rule." The Times wishes him well with that.

5/19/2015
REVIEW PROCESS AND PUBLIC COMMENT: The decision on this application will be made by the CDD Director. The comment period for this project is fourteen (14) days from issuance of this notice; this period ends 6/4/2015. The notice of application is required by RCW 36.70B.110 and Walla Walla County Code (WWCC) 14.07.080.

To be considered as a party of record send written comments to:
 Walla Walla County Community Development Department
 c/o Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner
 310 W. Poplar Street, Suite 200
 Walla Walla, WA 99362
 commdev@co.walla-walla.wa.us

APPEALS: The Director's decision may be appealed by the applicant(s) or parties of record to the Walla Walla County Hearing Examiner pursuant to WWCC 14.11.010 and 14.11.030.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: Please contact Lauren Prentice, Principal Planner, at 509-524-2620 or commdev@co.walla-walla.wa.us.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
File No. VAR15-002

The application described below has been submitted to the Walla Walla County Community Development Department (CDD).

File name/Docket #: Readjustment of undeveloped lots/VAR15-002

Application type: VARIANCE, CO MINOR
 Applicant/ Owner: HOSEY, HARRY
 333 GREYSTONE DR
 WALLA WALLA WA, 99362-
 Date application submitted: 4/16/2015

Project description: Variance to reduce the 50' agricultural buffer required by the clustering provisions to 25' for an existing home, in order to allow a boundary line adjustment. Variance requested under WWCC 17.31.060R(1)(a). The site is located generally at 333 GREYSTONE DR (APN 350610540002).

Required Permits/Approvals: Boundary Line Adjustment
 Required Studies: **None identified
 Complete Application date: 5/14/2015
 Notice of Application date: 5/19/2015

REVIEW PROCESS AND PUBLIC COMMENT: The decision on this application will be made by the CDD Director. The comment period for this

project is fourteen (14) days from issuance of this notice; this period ends 6/4/2015. The notice of application is required by RCW 36.70B.110 and Walla Walla County Code (WWCC) 14.07.080.

To be considered as a party of record send written comments to:
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APPEALS: The Director's decision may be appealed by the applicant(s) or parties of record to the Walla Walla County Hearing Examiner pursuant to WWCC 14.11.010 and 14.11.030.

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